



TOWN OF HANOVER
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*Catherine Harder-Bernier,
Town Clerk*

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Hanover Town Clerk Cathy Harder-Bernier announced today that nomination papers are available in her office for the Annual Town Election scheduled to be held May 9th, 2015.

“Election Day is set for May 9th and signed nomination papers are due March 23rd. I heartily encourage my fellow citizens to consider running for office and become more involved in our terrific small town,” Harder-Bernier said.

On the ballot this spring will be elections for two members of the Board of Selectmen for a three year term each, two members of the School Committee for a three year term each, one member of the Housing Authority for a five year term, one member of the Board of Assessors for a three year term, one member of the Planning Board for a five year term, one Board of Health member for a three year term, three members of the Board of Public Works for a one, two or three year term each, one Trustee of the Public Library for a three year term and one Moderator for a one year term.

“With 13 seats on the ballot, there is room for interest on the part of many people from all corners of Hanover. Come pick up a set of nomination papers today!” said Harder-Bernier. Interested residents are encouraged to contact the Town Clerk’s Office, any of the related departments, or sitting members of the board or committee they are interested in becoming a part of in order to gain more information about an open position.

To run for office, candidates only need to obtain 50 signatures of registered Hanover voters in order to be placed on the ballot. Candidates for office have until Monday, March 23rd to submit the signed nomination papers to the Registrar’s Office for signature certification. Attached please find the Spring Election Calendar for more information.

For more information about the election process and related deadlines, please contact Hanover Town Clerk Cathy Harder-Bernier or Assistant Town Clerk JoAnne O’Connor at (781) 826-5000 x1079 or by e-mail at catherine.harderbernier@hanover-ma.gov or joanne.oconnor@hanover-ma.gov.